

CLAIMS

A process for digesting materials comprising:
receiving a stream of materials to be treated into a reaction container,
subjecting the materials to anaerobic digesting,
subjecting the materials to aerobic digesting,
and repeating the digesting phases until the desired output is achieved.

10 ABSTRACT

The present invention provides a digester for handling waste or contaminated materials. A process and an apparatus for processing are disclosed. A Dry Cycle Anaerobic Digester (DCAD) uses tanks to perform aerobic and anaerobic digestion to eliminate the waste, while producing little or no sludge.